

# METHOD OF MANAGING RECORDING MEDIUM

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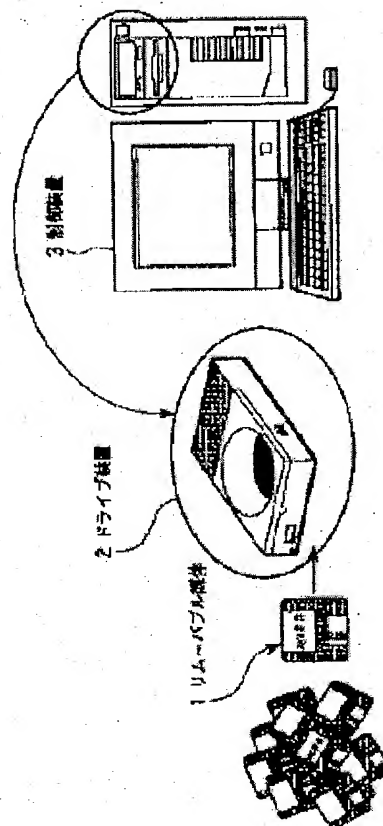
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## Abstract of JP2002324381

**PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED:** To properly manage the recorded contents of the data in each recording medium even when it is required to manage many recording media, and to quickly find out the recording medium in which desired data has been recorded, with little exertion.

**SOLUTION:** In managing the recording medium 1 which is capable of being detached from or attached to an apparatus 3 which includes the function of recording/storing data and which controls the writing and the reading of the data, the recording medium 1 newly mounted on the apparatus 3 is individually provided with an identification mark. The identification mark is recorded on the recording medium 1 which is given this, and the recorded contents of the data in the recording medium 1,



which is, as management information, related with the identification mark, is stored in the apparatus 3. The recording media group to be managed is collectively managed on the basis of the management information.

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